# HUERTA IS TOLD HE CANNOT ARBITRATE

Insult to Flag Permits No Temporizing.

#### **CONGRESS BEHIND PRESIDENT**

Party Lines Ignored in Decision to Back Up Navy.

#### GRIEVANCE IS MANY-FOLD

Tampico Incident Only One of Many Tending to Show United States Was Singled Out Among Nations for Affront.

WASHINGTON, April 15.-General Huerta was warned finally by the unless a salute was fired to the Stars | ment." and Stripes within a reasonable time States" serious consequences would

This warning was emphasized by action which placed the majority of the ships of the American Navy under orders to proceed at once to the Atlantic and Pacific coasts of Mexico.

It was learned today that General Huerta, when apprised by Charge O'Shaughnessy of the proposed demonstration of the Atlantic fleet, declared that the episode growing out of the Tampico was a fit subject for arbitraappoint a commission to investigate turned by the grand jury:

#### Insult Held Not Arbitrable.

President Wilson, In an emphatic re ply through Charge O'Shaughnessy, is understood to have told General Huerta that the time for delay and evasion had passed and that the American would temporize Administration officials hold that insults to the flag and questions Eggers claimed to have mistaken Bush of National honor are not subjects for

ington from Mexico City tended to tinued. show that General Hueria was unconvinced that the United States was in term of court, earnest and thought the Washington Government was bluffing. Some anti-American demonstrations at Vera Cruz and other points were reported.

Developments of the day here indicated that a determined and forceful policy had been adopted by the President, which would be backed up by Congress and enforced if necessary by the Army and Navy.

#### President Insists on Reparation.

members of the Senate and House committees on foreign affairs that the offennes of the de facto government at Mexico City to the dignity of the wiring. United States could no longer be tolerated and that unless Huerta complied with the American demands the seizure of the custom-houses at Tampico and Vera Cruz and even the declaration of a pacific blockade, shutting off ommercial intercourse with the United the machine, in the absence of the States, would be fully justified by the machine, precedents in international law.

It was established that no aggressive the shelling of any towns or the seiz without authorization from Congress after President Wilson had personally delivered a message on the subject The practically unanimous approval which Republicans and Democrats should Rear-Admiral Badger find it necessary to act vigorously in an R. W. Cooke defeated John Harrison Double Demonstration Ordered.

After orders had been issued today for a naval demonstration on the Pacific Coast of Mexico, as well as on the Atlantic, General Huerta was advised that the most powerful fighting force the American Government has ever assembled on sea, carrying thousands of marines and bluejackets, is headed for the seaport towns of the southern republic ready to enforce to the extreme the American policy.

On General Huerta depend the next developments; he has practically a week to decide the question, for the Clarke County May Join Multnomah for several days. In the meantime, all foreign governments have been notified by the United States of its attitude toward the Tampico incident and of the dispatch of the fleets to Mexican waters This notification is in line with the previously-announced policy of keeping foreign nations advised of all steps taken by the American Government in the Mexican situation.

#### Semi-Official Statement Made.

The position of the Administration as it was explained to members of the Senate and House committees on foreign affairs by the President, and as it was substantially reviewed in the notes sent to all foreign governments, is described in a statement given out during the day which was prepared by high Administration officials. The statement follows:

"It has been pointed out that in coneldering the present somewhat delicate ington 16 years ago. His wife is in a situation in Mexico, the unpleasant in- critical condition from injuries rea cident at Tampico must not be thought ceived in a runaway. A daughter, Alice (Concluded on Page 3.)

## SYMPATHYFELTFOR WILSON IN BRITAIN

IDEALISTIC POLICY, HOWEVER, IS BLAMED FOR SITUATION.

Moral Intervention" and High Purposes Felt to Have Caused Difficulty and Embarrassment.

LONDON, April 16 .- Most of the London morning papers in their editorial comment on the Mexican situa tion display sympathy with President Wilson in the difficulties whch have arisen with Mexico, while at the same time contending that those difficulties vere largely brought about by his

idealistic policy. Much curiosity is expressed over the intentions of the United States because, although it is believed Huerta will yield, it was pointed out that should be prove obdurate the mere oc upation of Tampico would not have much practical effect, and that the 5000 MEN IN READINESS blockade of Vera Cruz would be the only measure that would deal'a serious blow to the Huerta regime.

The Daily Telegraph cannot believe that President Wilson Intends to put into effect a resolute military intervention, and sees no hope of putting an end "to the anarchy which has re sulted from the Wilson policy of mora intervention."

The Daily Graphic considers that President Wilson's high moral purposes have landed the United States and the President himself "in a situation of United States Government today that the greatest difficulty and embarrass-

The Standard says: "The big stick to atone "for repeated offenses against which Roosevelt would have used long rights and dignity of the United ago has at last been used. The door of peace is still open, but it rests with Huerta to avail himself of the chance."

## TWO DEER HUNTER SHELD

Goldbeach Grand Jury Indiet Men Who Mistook Men for Game.

GOLDBEACH, Or., April 15 .- (Special.)-Special Judge Coke closed the arrest of the American bluejackets at regular April term of the Circuit Court tion at The Hague and that he would the following indictments were re-George N. Nayer, for the killing of

Willard E. Isenhart, at Chetco, Or., last February, charged with manslaughter. Naver was out hunting and shot Isenhart, mistaking him for a deer, so he declared.

Edmund Eggers, for the killing of John Bush, on Sixes River, Or., was orders, also charged with manslaughter. for a deer.

Witnesses for the state failed to ap-All information that reached Wash- pear and the Cooley case was con- to 18, with a personnel of 5000 men,

#### FIREMAN NEEDS NO TRUCK Cleveland and Chattanooga. and Ends Fire as Engine Wrecks.

EUGENE, Or., April 15 .- (Special.)-When the Eugene motor fire truck was wrecked while turning a corner on a slippery pavement, Fireman H. D. While expressing carnest hope for Briggs today picked himself up, seized peace, the President unequivocally told a hand-extinguisher, snatched a motorcycle from a passerby and continued to the fire in time to save the house, which had caught fire from electric

> The huge truck, weighing 10,000 pounds, plowed its way through a con crete curbing, six inches thick, and was damaged. Richard Faye, a fireman, was hurled on to a soft lawn, 15 feet distant. No one was injured. The fire chief was obliged to drive

#### act, such as the landing of marines or CONDON VOTE LARGEST YET ure of any ports, would be undertaken R. W. Cooke Elected Mayor and First

Woman Official Chosen

CONDON, Or., April 15 .- (Special.)-The heaviest vote ever cast here in a alike gave the Administration's initial city election as recorded yesterday, steps made it apparent, however, that 230 being the total. Ninety of these were cast by, women.

emergency, Congress would back up for Mayor by 52 votes, and Miss Myrthe American Navy without hesitation. the Ferguson was elected over H. A. Hartshorn for Treasurer by 31 votes. A. B. Searcy, Dr. W. J. Miller and A. S. Hollen, candidates for Councilmen. had no opposition and were unani-mously elected, although several at-tempts were made to have the voters write other names on the ballots.
Miss Ferguson is Condon's Miss Ferguson is Condon's first woman official. The new officers will take their seats May I and have de-clared themselves for a strictly eco-

#### BRIDGE ACT HELD VALID

in Construction Work.

nomical administration.

OLYMPIA, Wash., April 15 .- The State Supreme Court today held valid the 1913 liaw permitting counties and cities or the state itself to join with another county, city or state to build a bridge across a stream serving as a

boundary. This means that the \$500,000 bond issue authorized by Clarke County to pay part of the cost of the \$1,250,000 bridge over the Columbia River between Van-couver and Portland is valid and the contracts can be entered into by the county.

Man Dead; Wife and Child III. CLARKSTON, Wash., April 15,-(Special.)-B. S. Sigman, aged 59, died today from asthma and la grippe. He vas born in Illinois and came to Wash of alone. For some time past the de H., has just recovered from being run lover by a wagon.

# PACIFIC FLEET IN SOUTH AUGMENTED

**Demonstration on West** Coast Decided On.

#### MOVE IS PRECAUTIONARY ONE

Marines Sent to San Diego as Base of Operations.

Additional Vessels Ordered for Service Will Increase Force of Warships to 18 - Torpedo-Bonts Under Orders.

VESSELS NOW ON PACIFIC COAST

DUTY IN SOUTHERN WATERS. The following war vessels are now on patrol duty in west coast waters; Cruiser California, flagship of the Pacific fleet, at Guayman.

Supply ship Glacier, at Guaymas, Cruiser New Orleans, at Mazatlan. Cruiser Raleigh, at Mazatlan, Gunboat Annapolis, in the Gulf of California. Gunboat Yorktown, in the Gulf of

Cruffer Denver at Corinto

WASHINGTON, April 15,-A naval demonstration on the Pacific Coast of Mexico was decided on today by the FAMILY TREE FLOURISHING with a night session last night, when Administration. It was declared, how ever, that while the Atlantic fleet went New Arrival at Cathlamet Well Supprimarily to obtain reparation for the incidents at Tampico, the Pacific fleet was ordered south chiefly as a precautionary measure should serious emergencies ensue.

Rear Admiral Howard, on the Pacific Coast, as well as Rear Admiral Badger found herself the fourth living branch has been ordered subject to further

San Diego to Be Used as Base. The additional ships ordered for ervice on the Mexican west coast will bring the force of warships there up As no jury was drawn, no including a regiment of 500 marines take marines to San Diego, which is to be used as a base, and will go into

The armored cruiser Maryland, the Eugene Man Snatches Motorcycle cruisers Cleveland and Chattanooga,

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plied With Forebears. CATHLAMET, Wash., April 15 .- (Spe-

cial.)—When the stork left a little girl at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Morgan, of this place, the young lady of two family trees, with one greatgrandfather, two great - grandmothers, wo grandfathers, and one grandmother, besides her parents. Her great-grandparents are Mr. and

Mrs. Jacob Morgan and Mrs. Freishco all well-known pioneers.

#### \$27,000 GOES IN SWINDLE

Farmer, 70 Years Old. Says Confidence Man "Worked" Him Twice.

BUFFALO, April 15 .- George Creste-Jupiter and Saturn will increase the force on the west coast to 12, with five torpedo-boat destroyers and their tender, the Iris, standing by for orders at San Pedro, Cal.

The cruiser Denver is at Corinto, (Concluded on Page 3.)

Singer a Williamsville farmer, who reported to the police yesterday that he had been swindled out of \$12,000 by a confidence man, said today that in all the swindler had relieved him of \$27,000. The swindler made two trips to Buffalo, getting \$15,000 on the first trip.

THE OPEN DOOR

# BAGGAGE SYSTEM ORDERED CHANGED

All Portland Carriers Get Equal Chance.

## CONTRACTS ARE SET ASIDE

U of O Library 18NOV Monopoly Declared Unfair.

#### PASSENGERS' RIGHTS CITED

Northern Pacific Terminal Company Informed by State Railroad Commission That Preference Shown Hlegal.

SALEM. Or., April 15 .- (Special.)-Holding that the privilege gives an undue preference to the Baggage & Omnibus Transfer Company, and works a hardship upon passengers who do chestra discovered the origin of the Commission today ordered that the and summoned the police. Northern Pacific Terminal Company, which controls the Union Station and terminal in Portland, discontinue giving the Baggage & Omnibus Transfer Company a virtual monopoly of the baggage business of the railways entering the station.

Almost every contention made by the Baggage Transfer Service Company, which filed a complaint against the forthern Pacific Terminal Company, is upheld by the Commission.

Order Is Issued. The order issued says:

"That the defendant shall, from and fter ten days after the date of the service of a copy of this order upon it, cease and desist from making and giving to the Baggage & Omnibus Transfer Company any privilege with respect to the entry upon railway cars for the purpose of removing baggage, and with respect to the stripping of baggage of railroad checks, and removal of such baggage from the cars, and with respect to the delivery of ing over. baggage without simultaneous surender of duplicate railroad baggage hecks, which it does not at this time afford to each and every other person, firm or corporation which has the right o claim and remove incoming Oregon intrastate baggage destined to the

grand central station of defendant." Individual Contracts Given. It is recited that the capital stock of Macksburg. e Northern Pacific Terminal Company

## OAKLAND PITCHER "BEANS" CHORUS

PRUIETT MAKES PONIES HOP LIKE CHICKS ON GRIDDLE.

Training Camp Prank With Birdshot and Toothpick, Tried on Girls on Stage, Causes Hurler's Arrest.

A charge of "beaning the players at the Lyric Theater during the mati see yesterday led to the arrest of C. Prulett, crack right-handed pitcher in he visiting Oakland baseball team, or charge of disorderly conduct. Prulett accused of placing No. 8 birdsho between his teeth and throwing them with a toothpick, beanshooter fashion, at the players on the stage. His aim.

the chorus girls admit, was excellent. This method of throwing shot is said to be a favorite amusement in base ball training camps. The stinging pro-jectiles, however, had an unusual effect on the lightly clad chorus girls. Some of the pretty victims declared INVADERS ROUT GLOOMS

that they had not exactly been "beaned" in the baseball acceptance of term, for to be "beaned is to be struck on the head with a thrown ball. Really, Brass Bands, Arab Patrols and Good the girls explained, they would have een better off if it had been so, for their hair might have afforded so protection against the hurtling mis siles, whereas-well this year's styles of stage hoslery are rather thin you Patrolman Howard, who made the

arrest, declared the girls were dancing more like young pullets on the traditional hot griddle than like stage 'ponies," when a member of the or not patronize it, the State Railroad fusillade. He slipped from his place

Patrolman Howard donned a dark overcoat to conceal his uniform. He led Prulett from the auditorium without creating confusion.

Prulett was released on his ecognizance. in the Municipa, Court.

#### FANS' HERE ON 'BUSINESS' Many Outsiders Travel Hundreds of

Miles for "Opener."

Portland fandom is not bounded by the city limits. Among the fans disappointed at not

seeing the opening game of the Pacific League season here yesterday were many who came 300 miles or more. All of them had business in Portland other than to witness the spectacle of

the Beavers gnawing down the Oaks, but they timed their trip to the metropolis to be here April 14, and are wait-"other business" were the following. With the Spokane Mussulmen came registered at the Imperial: T. J. Smith, another brase band that even outof Fossil; Dr. J. H. Rosenberg,

Princeville: C. C. Pennington and Pat while, an Arab patrol that stepped off Foley, of LaGrande; W. A. Slusher, of some fancy steps, and a crowd of the Pendleton; G. S. Paxson, of Newberg; finest looking women that has been Grant Mays and George Blakeley, of seen here in many a day. Those we The Dalles, and G. R. Scramlin, of were much in demand all day long.

#### FLEET ARRIVES "WAR DAY" Photographers. With only the

Anniversary of Spanish War.

WASHINGTON, April 15,- (Special.) -An historical coincidence was told here today in that the Atlantic fleet is due to reach Tampico on the 16th anniversary of the declaration of war between Spain and the United States.

which was on April 21, 1898. The Spanish War was actually declared by the passage of a joint reso-Lution in Congress April 23, but Congress declared that war had existed since the 21st, when McKinley's ultimatum to Spain was rejected. It was also noted that the Revolu-

ican War April 24 and the Civil War April 14.

Names New Officers.

tionary War began April 19; the Mex-

WALLA WALLA, Wash. April 15.-Special.) Paul H. Weyrauch, man (Special.)—Paul H. Weyrauch, man-ager of the Blalock Fruit Company, just as noble as any of the rest. was elected president of the Walla Walla Commercial Club today, Ben G. Stone is vice-president. P. M. Winans, until long after midnight. Harvey treasurer, and F. A. Shaw, secretary.

Mr. Weyrauch is head of the local
Fruit Protective Association, and also Kader Temple, presided at these member of the by-products committee functions of the Northwest, which met recently at North Yakima.

#### UMATILLA ROAD PLANNED

Hermiston Meeting Urges Constructing Highway to Pendleton.

PENDLETON, Or., April 15 .- (Speal.) -A hard surface road from Umatilia to Pendleton as a link in the Columbia River Highway is to be urged upon the County Court as a result of a booster convention held at Hermiston this afternoon. A score of Pen-dicton business men were present. Delegates represented Umatilla, Her-miston, Stanfield and Echo. Caudi-dates for County Judge and Commisdicton is approximately 45 miles.

#### BECKER'S TRIAL DATE SET

Ex-Police Lieutenant Hears May 6 Fixed as Tentative Time.

NEW YORK, April 15 .- Wednesday, torney Whitman asked that the new trial be called as soon as possible. It was announced that M. T. Manlon had succeeded Joseph A. Shay as chief country. sel for Bucker.

# NORTHWEST FE7MF

Mussulman Horde Here From Far and Near.

#### PAY RANSOMS IN FUN, IS CRY

Visitors Refuse to Foreclose Mortgage They Hold.

Fellowship Make a Happy Conglomerate That Stretches Capacities of Mortals.

Anyone wearing a red fer and smile now has a mortgage on the town The people of Portland wouldn't object much to a foreclosure, judging from the way they made up to the invading Shriners all day yesterday

But the fex-wearers are not going to foreclose. They are going to Stay in Portland for the rest of the week and let the people discharge their obliga-tion with hospitality, the like of which The case will be heard they started to dish out to the visitors when the first party of them arrived early in the morning.

Walla Walla turned in the first con-

signment. Two special carloads of picked nobles arrived on the O.-W. R. & N. train as early as 7:10. But that wasn't too early for the nobles of the Al Kader temple of Portland. They were there with their band and their Arab patrol. Then the Walla Wallans joined the

local reception army and marched to the North Bank station to meet the special train bringing in a noisy delegation from Spokane All the Walla Walla Shriners belong to El Katif Temple, at Spokane, and

ternal greetings when the two bunches got together. Brass Band and Patrol Come, Toe

of played the Al Kader band once is Every Shriner in town wanted to bor ow them, to pose with him for the

With only the Spokane and the Walla Walla boys on hand the Portland nobles Warships Reach Tampico on 16th had little trouble in providing them all with entertainment, but along towards evening, when other fcz topa started to come in from Ashland, Medford, Salem and other points in Western Oregon, they had more than they could do. Then, when the special train came in from Scattle and Tacoma, late in the afternoon, the Al Kader joymakers gave it up for a bad job and just left the visitors to help themselves. This they seemed entirely capable of doing.

They overflowed the hotels into the streets and wherever they went they were the centers of fun, good fellow ship and innocent amusement.

#### 40 Novices Trend "Hot Sands."

This spirit of merry carnival continued until about 6 o'clock, when the big coremonial, the real object of yes-PAUL H. WEYRAUCH CHOSEN Armory. For this occasion to interday's celebration, took place at the trepid adventurers were furnished by Walla Walla Commercial Club the Portland temple. They were conducted "across the hot sands to Mecch," whatever that means, and, outside of a few dozen pained and blistering feet, the two-score victims now are Shriners

> until long after midnight Harvey But last night's programme was only preliminary to the big show today. The Shriners' three-day circus opens this afternoon and about half the visitors

> will stay for the fun. Many of them will appear in the parade this morning. Not since the National Shriners' convention at Los Angeles, two years ago, have so many fez wearers appeared in Portland at the same time. At that time the delegates from the East visited Portland on their way home and the city was busy for nearly a week entertaining them.

Seattle is now in the field for the 1915 convention and will make strenuous efforts at the National gathering. at Atlanta, next month, to get it. All visiting Shriners yesterday oners were also present.

The distance from Umatilla to Penpledged to support Scattle for the 1915. meeting. San Francisco also is a can-didate. If Scattle is selected, it will mean that thousands of Eastern Shriners will again visit Portland next year. as nearly all who attend the National conclave will want to go to the world's

#### Old Omaha Does "Right Well." One of yesterday's visitors who

May 6, was tentatively fixed today for the beginning of the second trial of Charles Becker, the ex-police lieuten- Temple at Omaha, Mr. Davis has been Charles Becker, the ex-police lieutenant, sentenced to die for instigating the murder of Herman Rosenthal, but saved by a Court of Appeals decision.

Becker appeared in court, brought William F. Cody, "Buffalo Bill," who is still a member of Tangier Temple.

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